Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Tuesday 12 Jul 2022 until 23:59 on Wednesday 13 Jul 2022

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 12 Jul 2022 at 03:41 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: Low for timing of cloud clearance on Tuesday morning. Otherwise high for rather changeable weather for the next few days, but low for extent of showers on a daily basis.

Headline for Tuesday 12 Jul 2022: Cloudy start, then dry and bright. Windy.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 12 Jul 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Low Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
FOG	FOG				
Fog	Fog	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
30%	30%	00%	00%	00%	20%

Forecast for Tuesday 12 Jul 2022

Weather: Most of the morning will be cloudy with some patchy light rain, this mainly west of the A9. Dry weather with brightening skies will develop from late morning. The afternoon will be dry with some sunny spells. Remaining fine into the evening but a light shower possible across western ranges.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 20% becoming 80%, best chance in the afternoon

Low cloud and visibility: Poor in extensive low cloud down to 700 metres at first, this clearing by late morning. Then very good visibility with cloud confined to the highest summits or higher for the rest of the day.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	40/51 SW	36/46 SW	21/28 W	19/25 W	19/26 W	27/36 W	32/42 W
900	39/46 SW	30/36 SW	20/27 SW	19/25 W	20/26 W	21/27 W	28/36 W
600	25/30 SW	21/26 SW	17/23 SW	16/23 W	17/23 W	14/20 SW	19/27 W
300	12/27 SW	12/25 SW	12/24 SW	12/23 SW	12/23 SW	8/18 SW	10/22 SW
Glen	6/25 SW	7/24 SW	6/20 SW	6/19 W	6/18 W	4/19 SW	4/18 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	8/2	8/2	9/5	10/6	7/3	3/-3	2/-5
900	10/5	10/6	12/8	12/9	10/7	7/2	6/-0
600	12/8	12/9	14/11	15/12	13/10	9/6	8/4
300	14/12	15/13	18/15	19/16	16/14	12/10	10/8
Glen	14/13	17/16	20/17	20/17	17/15	12/11	10/10
Freezing Level*	2600m	2200m	2000m	1900m	1900m	1800m	1700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Notable wind chill in the strong summit winds, gales at first.

Forecast for Wednesday 13 Jul 2022
Weather: Variable amounts of cloud with some bright or sunny intervals, although western ranges seeing a fair amount of cloud at times. Chance of a few passing showers in the north and west of the area, often dry elsewhere. Strong and cold westerly summits winds.

Maximum wind: Westerly gusts 35 to 45 mph on the summits

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 70%

Low cloud and visibility: Areas of cloud down to 800 metres through the day, chiefly in the north and west of the area. Otherwise very good visibility with good air clarity.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 8 rising to 16 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 8 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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